

CLASS SPECIFICATION
SAN DIEGO CITY CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
LANDFILL EQUIPMENT OPERATOR

DEFINITION:

Under general supervision, to operate complex heavy industrial motive equipment at the City's Landfills; and to perform related work.

DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS:

This class is distinguished from Equipment Operator III in the greater degree of equipment complexity and additional skills required. Equipment typically used by Landfill Equipment Operators includes: heavy class bulldozers such as the Kamatsu D155-A, Caterpillar D-8's, D-9's or similar types, Caterpillar 631 or larger self-loading motor scrapers, motor graders, compactors, tractor scrapers, grade-alls and other equipment of comparable difficulty.

*** EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:**

- Operates complex heavy industrial motive equipment used at the City's Landfills;
- Moves, covers and compacts refuse;
- Hauls and dumps dirt for refuse cover material;
- Sets up intermediate grade stakes in laying out a sanitary landfill;
- Excavates trenches;
- Lifts, moves and lowers miscellaneous heavy materials;
- Makes minor repairs and adjustments to equipment;
- Prepares reports concerning equipment usage and necessary repairs;
- Trains and leads the work of assigned personnel.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Please note: the minimum qualifications stated below are a guide for determining the education, training, experience, special skills, and/or license which may be required for employment in the class. These are re-evaluated each time the position is opened for recruitment. Please refer to the most recent Job Announcement for updated minimum qualifications.

One year of experience operating a heavy class bulldozer and a self-loading motor scraper; **OR** two years of experience operating a medium class bulldozer or compactor and self-loading motor scraper at a sanitary landfill; **OR** two years of experience as an Equipment Operator II or III with the City of San Diego. Possession of a valid California Class A or B Driver's License and a current Department of Motor Vehicles Medical Certificate dated within the last two years.

- * EXAMPLES OF DUTIES** performed by employees in this class. The list may not include all required duties, nor are all listed tasks necessarily performed by everyone in this class.